

PEN FOR CUMULATIVE RECORDER¹

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A pen, which has the advantages of a finer marking and a larger ink supply than heretofore available, can now be obtained for cumulative and event recorders. The pen is a combination of a fountain pen and a drafting pen and completely eliminates overnight clogging. It is called the "Koh-i-noor Rapidograph Technical Fountain Pen" and sold by the Koh-i-noor Pencil Company, Inc. of Bloomsburg, N. Y. at a cost of \$4.95. The tip of the pen is available in seven different diameters. Number 00 is recommended for the present

¹This writing system was first developed by Lawrence Guevrekian and has been used in several laboratories other than our own with good results.

purpose. (The entire code number of a pen with this tip is 3060-00.)

To adapt a Gerbrands Cumulative recorder for this pen it is necessary only to resolder the fuse-clip on the pen-assembly to a vertical position. This is easily accomplished and the pen can then simply be snapped into place.

Messiness of filling is eliminated since the pen fills like a regular fountain pen. The height of the pen may require removal, or slotting, of the dust cover of the Gerbrands Recorder. However, the pen's overall height may be reduced by dispensing with the pen case and using only the plastic ink reservoir. Any clean ink can be used.